

Recovery Plan Action Status

Plan Name: Seven Coastal Plants and the Myrtle's Silverspot Butterfly Recovery Plan

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Menzies' wallflower (Erysimum menziesii)	1	1.61	Inform land owners - Erysimum menziesii	Ongoing Current	FY 1995 - FY 1999		Local Lead Agencies [California coast, Myrtle's Silverspot/Seven coastal plants habitat]	Other: Regulations	Labor type not yet selected	Protect habitat: Monterey, Mendocino, and Humboldt Counties; Coastal Commission and Local Coastal Plan staff conduct routine notification of landowners during the project development permitting process
Menzies' wallflower (Erysimum menziesii)	1	1.62	Consult agencies - Erysimum menziesii	Ongoing Current	FY 1995 - FY 1999		U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Management: Habitat Maintenance and Manipulation, Research: Habitat Status, Research: Population Surveys	Internal Field Assistance	Multiple agency coordination in monitoring and mgmt across Humboldt, Mendocino, Monterey Counties involving BLM, USFWS, California State Parks, and private NGO's.
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										lupine was removed (which is known to facilitate invasion by non-native species by increasing nitrogen and organic content).
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										Genetic study by Brinegar and Baron (2009) indicates that <i>C. pungens</i> / <i>C. robusta</i> complex is genetically very similar, and that taxonomic revision to include all varieties of this complex as two varieties of <i>C. pungens</i> may be warranted in the future (Lena Chang 7/29/2010). Extensive research conducted on life history of <i>Erysimum menziesii</i> , <i>Layia carnosa</i> and <i>Chorizanthe howellii</i> over the past decade.
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Menzies' wallflower (<i>Erysimum menziesii</i>)	2	3.6	Investigate crucifer rust for <i>Erysimum menziesii</i>	Ongoing Not Current	FY 1995 - FY 1999		U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Research: Disease	Contract, Internal Field Assistance	Extensive demographic data collected in 1998 remains to be analyzed to assess the impacts of crucifer rust on Humboldt Bay spp. (<i>eurekaense</i>) viability.

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Menzies' wallflower (Erysimum menziesii)	2	4.71	Establish working group -Erysimum menziesii	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	No working group has been formerly convened. The AFWO and VFWO continue to work with BLM, State Parks and other local entities to conduct recovery, restoration, protection, and management activities.
Menzies' wallflower (Erysimum menziesii)	2	4.72	Implement guidelines - Erysimum menziesii	Ongoing Current	FY 2006		U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	General recovery Efforts: State Parks continues management efforts at Marina State Beach and Asilomar, including caging, benefitting Yaden's wallflower and other sensitive plants and Smith's blue butterfly. LightStation Point Pinos/Pacific Grove Municipal golf course continuing restoration required as part of the city acquisition of the Point. Habitat restoration efforts and species management efforts continuing at Humboldt Bay include the South Spit (BLM), Humboldt Bay National Wildlife Refuge, private lands and Manila CSD.

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